3/15/74 - Chi Ex. Club - silent question on "corporation" breathless
excited, spoke last Ripper emphatic. Answer more of a "ramblings"
speech. Interrupted by applause on "One year of W.G. enough",
Immediately not withdrawn. Second round applause on not
weakening position on.
Next stop on a "Vote of confidence" between elections. This
is clearly a rigged audience from these 1st 3 questions
applause when guest even says he is G.O.P. senator
and G.L. is "~~elected~~ ~~but~~ ~~stuff~~ "elected by Democrats"
When asked about resignation - after 35 minutes - does not
really answer question but the closest thing
to it at this point. He last, changes & says "They
are all totally false" Limited to what he said which
is hardly all or accurate Partial denial of pay-
off ~~not~~ knowledge by saying Haldeman & Mitchell
deny it. "I will not be a party to the destruction of
the Presidency of the U.S."
One must wonder how they can get the Nixon Complex, "Esp.
on the Watergate Matters"
With this a carefully selected, pro-Nixon audience, the
amount of booing is surprising